

Mississippi

National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS)

The National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS) is an annual survey of facilities providing substance abuse treatment, and is conducted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The N-SSATS is designed to collect data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse facilities (both public and private) throughout the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and other U.S. jurisdictions. For more information on N-SSATS methodology, [click here](#).

In **Mississippi**, 121 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2002 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 5,310 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2002. The survey response rate in **Mississippi** was 96%.

Facility Ownership/Operation						
	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	56	46%	2,673	50%	129	48%
Private for-profit	14	12%	623	12%	38	14%
Local government	29	24%	1,023	19%	80	30%
State government	15	12%	379	7%	21	8%
Federal government	6	5%	456	9%	—	—
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	2	2%	403	8%	—	—
Dept. of Defense	4	3%	53	1%	—	—
Indian Health Service	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tribal government	1	1%	156	3%	—	—
Total	121	100%	5,310	100%	268	100%

Primary Focus of Facility						
	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	42	35%	1,154	22%	106	40%
Mental health services	28	23%	818	15%	48	18%
General health care	5	4%	445	8%	—	—
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	45	37%	2,853	54%	114	43%
Other/unknown	1	1%	40	1%	—	—
Total	121	100%	5,310	100%	268	100%

Substance Abuse Problem Treated						
	Facilities ¹		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
	No.	%	Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop. Aged 18 and Over	
	No.	%	No.	%		
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	98	96%	2,999	57%	133	
Clients with drug abuse only	84	82%	946	18%	41	
Clients with alcohol abuse only	89	87%	1,287	25%	58	
Total²	102		5,232	100%	233	

¹ Facilities may be included in more than one category.

² Excludes 19 facilities that were not asked or did not respond to this question.

Type of Care

			Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002				
			All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
			Facilities ¹		Median No. of Clients Per Facility		
No.	%	No.	%	No.		%	
Outpatient	89	74%	4,163	78%	20	169	63%
Regular outpatient	84	69%	3,582	68%	15		
Intensive outpatient	39	32%	427	8%	7		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	32	26%	145	3%	2		
Detoxification	11	9%	9	<1%	0		
Methadone/LAAM maintenance	—	—	—	—	—		
Residential	41	34%	948	18%	18	74	28%
Rehabilitation	41	34%	878	17%	18		
Detoxification	23	19%	70	1%	2		
Hospital Inpatient	17	14%	199	4%	8	25	9%
Rehabilitation	13	11%	117	2%	5		
Detoxification	17	14%	82	2%	3		
Total	121		5,310	100%	20	268	100%

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	—	—
Detoxification only	—	—
Both maintenance and detoxification	—	—
Total	—	—
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	—	
Methadone	—	
LAAM	—	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	112	93%
Private health insurance	81	67%
Medicare	55	46%
Medicaid	73	60%
Other State-financed health insurance	51	42%
Federal military insurance	58	48%
Other type of payment	8	7%
Sliding fee scale	80	66%
Other payment assistance	47	39%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities ¹	31	16
No. of clients	756	199
Designated beds	1,103	352
Utilization rate	69%	57%
Designated beds per facility (average)	36	22

¹ Excludes facilities not reporting both clients counts and number of beds, facilities whose client counts were reported by another facility, and facilities that included client counts from other facilities.

Facility Licensing, Approval, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	115	95%
State Substance Abuse Agency	68	56%
State Mental Health Department	100	83%
State Public Health Department/Board of Health	53	44%
Hospital licensing authority	13	11%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	35	29%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	3	3%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	2	2%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	2	2%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	9	7%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Is part of organization with multiple facilities or sites	84	69%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	29	24%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	94	78%

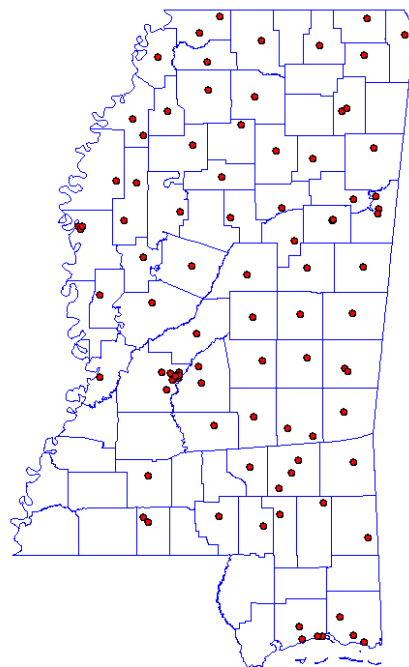
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Dually-diagnosed	93	77%
Adolescents	40	33%
Persons with HIV/AIDS	26	22%
Gays and lesbians	13	11%
Pregnant/postpartum women	21	17%
Women only	32	26%
Men only	33	27%
Seniors/older adults	30	25%
Criminal justice clients	32	26%
DUI/DWI offenders	68	56%
Other groups	5	4%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Assessment Services	117	97%
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	106	88%
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	82	68%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	119	98%
Family counseling	107	88%
Group therapy	104	86%
Individual therapy	118	98%
Relapse prevention groups	81	67%
Aftercare counseling	104	86%
Pharmacotherapies	9	7%
Antabuse	8	7%
Naltrexone	7	6%
Testing	93	77%
Blood alcohol testing	38	31%
Drug/alcohol urine screening	89	74%
Hepatitis testing	28	23%
HIV testing	34	28%
STD testing	30	25%
TB screening	50	41%
Transitional Services	115	95%
Assistance with obtaining social services	86	71%
Discharge planning	94	78%
Employment counseling/training	45	37%
Housing assistance	39	32%
Referral to other transitional services	103	85%
Other Services	111	92%
Case management services	88	73%
Child care	7	6%
Domestic violence or family/partner violence services	37	31%
HIV/AIDS education/counseling/support	82	68%
Outcome follow-up (post-discharge)	66	55%
Transportation assistance to treatment	42	35%
Acupuncture	2	2%

Location of Treatment Facilities



Use SAMHSA's Treatment Facility Locator to find the address and characteristics of specific facilities:

<http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov>

Services for the Hearing Impaired or in Languages Other than English

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Hearing impaired	27	22%
Spanish	13	11%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	4	3%
Other	6	5%

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Access the latest N-SSATS public use files at:

<http://webapp.icpsr.umich.edu/cocoon/SAMHDA-SERIES/00058.xml>

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